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In re Application of:)	Art Unit: 1649
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CHAO et al.)	Examiner: O. N. Chernyshev
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Appln. No.: 10/021,571)	Washington, D.C.
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Date Filed: December 19, 2001)	Confirmation No. 9320
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For: TRANSMEMBRANE PROTEIN AS A))	October 11, 2007
DOWNSTREAM TARGET OF...)	

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
2011 South Clark Place
Customer Window, **Mail Stop Amendment**
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 11, 2007,
petition and payment for a two month extension of time being
attached hereto, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

Attachment: Copy of web pages for commercial VAMP-2 antibodies
sold by Synaptic Systems is attached following page 6 of this
paper.